NAB's petition 04-160 reminds me of when the Cable companies tried to block me from getting my local stations over directv. That bullying by the cable companies was ended and thankfully I now receive those local channels as part of my subscription package.

I drive over an hour to get to work every morning. I use the XM Instant Traffic and Weather to decide which commute route to use. Without this, I am at the mercy of incomplete information from the local broadcasters.

Do not let the National Association of Broadcasters censor the information we are permitted to receive. I urge the FCC to not pass the NAB's petition 04-160, and to keep the airwaves open to the people.

Thank you.